

WILLIMANTIC

What is Going On Tonight
Division No. 1, A. O. H., in Center Street Armory.
Radiant Chapter, No. 11, O. E. S., in Masonic Hall.
W. C. T. U. Meeting at 140 Valley Street (afternoon).

SPECIAL CITY MEETING

Votes to Consider Proposition to Widen Main Street.

A call was issued Thursday for a special city meeting to be held in the town hall next Tuesday, March 3d, at 8 p. m., to put before the voters the proposition to widen Main street from Ash street to Capen's lane, so called, to establish lines and grades there, and to appropriate the needed amount to accomplish the work.

Camille Desrosiers made an application for lines and grades in that section some weeks ago, as he wished to erect a block on his property at the

corner of Main and Ash streets. The aldermen found that there had never been any lines or grades established on that part of the street, and a hearing was held on the establishment of the same. Three hearings in all have been held, and considerable opposition has developed in regard to the widening of the road, planned by the committee. On the other hand, many think that a wider street is necessary, and that the present condition is dangerous to traffic.

The special meeting has been called to put the matter squarely before the voters and let them take the responsibility for whatever is done.

Attending Library Meeting.

Mrs. Bell B. Riegleman, the efficient librarian of the Willimantic public library, is in New London today attending the annual meeting of the Connecticut Library association.

FUNERAL—

Elisha Winter.

The funeral of Elisha Winter was held from Fenn's mortuary chapel on Church street Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Rev. William F. Rowley officiated. The bearers were W. N. Potter, George H. Andrews,

Matthew Galligan and E. F. Kramer. The body was placed in the receiving vault of the Willimantic cemetery. Funeral Director H. N. Fenn was in charge.

Still Storing City Ice.

The men who have been scraping the snow off the ice at the pumping station in Mansfield have done sufficient work to enable the harvesting of ice into the city's plant to be resumed. Work will be started this morning, if the weather conditions are favorable. Two or three days ought to finish the harvesting now, as the houses are nearly full.

Water Pipe Burst.

Thursday morning a water pipe in the office of Dr. C. B. Simonds burst, causing a leak through into the store of J. F. Carr & company below. Luckily, the water came through where it could be caught in pails and the water was quickly shut off in the building, so that no great amount of damage was done.

Melting Snow and Ice Cause Annoyance.

The accumulation of snow and ice on the roofs of both private houses and business blocks has caused considerable inconvenience to owners and tenants and some hard work in clearing them off. The roof of the new Methodist church building, recently erected for business purposes, did considerable damage to the interior on Thursday on account of a leakage.

possibly from that cause. The drain pipes were not taking care of the overflow as they should. Workmen were at work clearing the ice off of the roof of the Boston store building Thursday afternoon, and a dangerous condition was created by the fact that huge cakes of ice were thrown by the workmen to the street below, of Church street, necessitating a careful lookout for pedestrians and vehicles passing by. A large number of school children found excitement in standing on the opposite side of Church street and watching the ice come down, breaking into fragments from the force of the fall. At times a sort of spray of snow and bits of ice would be thrown over to where they were standing, and that seemed to be the fun they were looking for. A narrowway narrowly missed being hit by a huge cake of ice, and a car was narrowly escaped from carelessly running out near it as it fell, but no accidents were reported as occurring.

William J. Lahiff Assists in Entertainment.

At Keene, N. H., the fourth degree assembly of the Knights of Columbus opened its annual carnival and bazaar in K. of C. hall the other evening. The program was a most excellent one, selections by William H. Lahiff. William H. Lahiff, familiarly known in this city as "Doc" Lahiff, was for many years a prominent figure here, and during his residence in Willimantic took part in several musical and dramatic productions with the local council, K. of C.

IN NEW CHURCH HOUSE.

Annual Meeting of Congregationalists Held—Officers Chosen.

The annual meeting of the Congregational church was held Thursday evening in their new church house, which was illuminated for the first time. The house has not been formally opened as yet and this was the first function held in it.

Before a delicious supper was served in the auditorium by the ladies of the church. There was a very large attendance, over 150 sitting down to the tables.

The first business of the meeting was the hearing of reports from the many various committees of the church. All the reports showed a healthy condition and not one of the departments showed a deficit, a truly remarkable showing.

Rev. William S. Beard presided over the gathering and took occasion in his report to congratulate the church upon its new acquisition, which he said would aid in the creation of a higher spirit and show that the kingdom of God was a reality in the community.

He urged upon his hearers that the chief ministry of the church is a spiritual ministry and that the church going as a requisite to that end.

Various committees were appointed, among them the following to choose a new Sunday school superintendent: E. S. Boas, H. C. Murray, J. W. Hillhouse. The following officers were elected:

Clerk and treasurer, H. C. Everest; standing committee, Amos Hathaway, Edgar Boas, J. L. Harroun; assistant superintendent Sunday school, L. K. Downer; Sunday school secretary, Paul Estey; assistant secretary, Ned Newton; treasurer, H. E. Sumner; assistant treasurer, Donald French; superintendent, Florence Bugbee; kindergarten department superintendent, Mrs. Helen B. Cummings.

During the year 30 new members have been admitted to the church and the membership is now nearly 400, a gain of 12 over last year.

"Everybody's Doing It."

Everybody's Doing It was the title of the farce produced by the Edward Doyle company at the Loomer Opera house Thursday night. The house was crowded, as has been the case all the week with this excellent stock com-

pany. There was a change of vaudeville, and Wanda performed her marvelous question reading again.

Brief Mention.

C. A. Alpaugh is in Fall River for a few days on business.

Max Burkhardt of New York spent Wednesday in this city.

Albert Chamberlain of Hartford spent Wednesday in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Conant left Wednesday for a visit in New York.

Mrs. D. L. Ross of Mansfield returned Wednesday from a ten days' stay in New York.

Miss Alice Halligan returned Wednesday from a few days' stay in Shelburne Falls.

Mrs. Fred Mason of Hayden street is entertaining her sister, Miss Lella Fitts, of Hampton.

Richard Watrous, who has been at home here for a few days, returned to Boston Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tyler Winchester are spending a few days in Norwich at the home of Mr. Winchester's mother.

Rev. Fr. Lemieux, curate at St. Mary's church in this city, was recently operated upon at St. Joseph's hospital and is doing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter D. Chamberlain are confined to the house with grip. Mrs. Rose Johnson is caring for the patients at their home on Union street.

Personals.

W. F. Buchanan spent Thursday in Franklin.

Frank White was a Boston visitor Thursday.

George W. Morrison spent Thursday in Franklin.

Mrs. Patrick Keenan was in Providence Thursday.

Dr. Charles McGrover is in New London for a few days.

Deputy Sheriff James Hagerly spent Thursday in Putnam.

Miss Mary R. Blanchette spent Thursday in Hartford.

Joseph Boucher went to Putnam Thursday on business.

Mrs. L. S. Hooker of Norwich was a local visitor Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Lenon are in Providence for a few days.

Mrs. Arthur Griswold and daughter are in Hartford to spend a week.

Mrs. Albert Gurley of Jackson street is visiting her daughter who lives in South Manchester.

Herman Simmons went to Windsor Locks Thursday on business.

Thatcher Wilbur has gone to Holyoke to visit Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Richards.

Miss Ella Johnson is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Richards of Holyoke.

Miss Jennie Israel and her father, Hyman Israel, are in New Britain to visit friends.

Miss Mae Sullivan returned to New London Thursday after a week's stay in this city.

Thomas Cotter returned to Boston Thursday after a short stay at his home in this city.

Mrs. L. Mallette returned to New York Wednesday after a visit with her son, Kenneth B. Mallette.

James Daley returned to Stafford Springs Thursday after attending the funeral of James Sullivan in this city Wednesday.

Junior Reynolds returned to New York Wednesday after a visit at Mansfield Depot with his mother, Mrs. Mabel Reynolds.

Charles Baas has purchased the business conducted by Michael Shea on Union street and will take possession next week.

Mr. and Mrs. Aime Gordon of Baltic called on friends here Thursday on their way to Hartford to attend the automobile show.

Homer Bradbury, who has been the guest of his mother, Mrs. Ella Bradbury, left Wednesday for Hartford, where he resides.

Local people who went to Hartford Thursday included Richard Watrous, R. T. Jones, J. J. Hickey, W. H. Hall, Rev. J. A. Dooley, Curtis Dean, Mrs. John McCarthy.

Herbert Johnson, who has entirely recovered from the effects of an injury received several weeks ago by being struck by a locomotive, has gone to Boston for a visit with friends.

Some of the local automobile enthusiasts who spent Thursday at the auto show in Hartford were Mr. and Mrs. William Jordan, A. D. Chaffee, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Chapman, Frank Larabee, Dr. W. L. Higgins.

JEWETT CITY

Station Burial—Death of Howard Leonard, Who Lived in Jewett City in Norwich—Miss Rosanna Selway Dies—Henry Therrien's Death.

The death of Howard Leonard occurred at the home of E. F. Palmer Wednesday evening. He had been in his usual health until two weeks ago, when he began to feel somewhat. The cause of death was chronic nephritis. Mr. Leonard was 71 years of age and was born in Griswold, the son of Laura Johnson and Joseph Leonard. The greater part of his life was passed on the farm of his brother, J. E. Leonard. After his death he lived three or four years in the families of two nephews, Edward Geer and F. S. Leonard. For eight years he was in the home of A. R. Young. He died at the home of Mr. Palmer, where he had lived for over two years. Mr. Leonard was a very intelligent man and a great reader, using unusually choice language. He was a member of the Pachtung church, to which he was greatly devoted and which he attended as long as he was able. He was always cheerful and a fine old gentleman.

He is survived by a sister, Mrs. Maria French, of Norwich; a niece, Miss Bessie Leonard, of Northampton, Mass., and five nephews, Fred S. Leonard of Jewett City, Edward A. Geer of Griswold, Joseph Albert and Henry Geer of Three Rivers, Mass., and Rev. Charles L. French of Montville.

Miss Rosanna Selway, sister of Louis Selway, of Jewett City, died in Glasgow Wednesday at the home of her sister, Mrs. Thomas Eccleston. Miss Selway was 51 years of age and her death was caused by influenza. Besides this sister and brother, she is survived by four other sisters, Mrs. Mary Ryan of Ansonia, Mrs. Alice Curtis of Glasgow, Mrs. Carrie Michael of Williamstown, Mrs. Nettie Kenyon of Williamstown, and a brother, Peter Selway, of Glasgow.

Henry Therrien, 47, died Thursday morning after a long illness. The family has lived in Jewett City on Brewster street only a few weeks. He is survived by his wife and two daughters, Miss Agnes Therrien, organist at St. Mary's church, and Mrs. Azarias Bessette of Baltic.

STATION ENTERED.

About \$6.25 in Money Taken.

The railroad station was entered some time Wednesday night or Thursday morning and \$6.25 in money concealed. Thirty cents in pennies was left. The burglars entered by breaking a pane of glass behind the catch on one of the narrow windows, thus raising the sash.

Attended Whist at Norwich.

Mrs. George A. Haskell of Sachem chapter, O. E. S. of Norwich, Mrs. R. F. Cheney, Mrs. E. B. Cheney, Mrs. E. E. Gilbert of Faith chapter, Jewett

For Good Health and Digestion

Before meals and on retiring, take a tablespoonful of



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It will stimulate the mucous surfaces and little glands of the stomach to healthy action, thereby improving the digestion and assimilation of the food and giving the system its full proportion of nourishment. Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey contains the splendid qualities of ripe grain carefully malted, so essential to the weak and run-down. To safeguard yourself against imitations look for the "Old Chemist" head on the label and see that the seal over the cork is unbroken. A few unscrupulous dealers have gone so far as to fill old Duffy bottles with imitation whiskey for the sake of greater profit. Protect yourself against this evil by breaking the bottle when it is empty. The genuine Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey is sold in sealed bottles only by most druggists, grocers and dealers at \$1.00 a large bottle. Valuable medical booklet sent free. The Duffy Malt Whiskey Co., Rochester, N. Y.

City, Mrs. H. E. Paul of Rebecca chapter, Moosup, and Mrs. Perley Melvin attended the whist at the Buckingham Memorial Wednesday given by Sachem chapter of Norwich.

Fingers Badly Cut. Joseph Duff cut two fingers on a circular saw at Slater's mill Thursday afternoon. One was nearly severed but may be saved.

Seniors' Sleighing Party. The class of 1914 of the Riverside grammar school enjoyed a sleighride to Lisbon Thursday night, spending the evening at Mr. and Mrs. William Phillips.

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A boat is building at the William Smith shop for Captain William Rathbun. This is to be 30 feet long and 19 wide and used for fishing, for which purpose it is to be fully equipped. Mrs. W. I. Spicer entertained the Reading club of the village Wednesday afternoon. A delightful hour was spent. Light refreshments were served at the close of the session. Mr. and Mrs. Harry O'Brien entertained at whist Tuesday evening. Mrs. Tracy Burrows had highest score. Refreshments followed the play. The Silver Link society met at the home of Mrs. Charles Hadley, on the West Side, this week. A large number of members was present and the time was spent in sewing. Refreshments were served during the social hour. St. Joseph's church will hold Lenten services on Wednesday evenings. Sugar is found in the sap of nearly two hundred plants and trees.

Dr. J. M. KING

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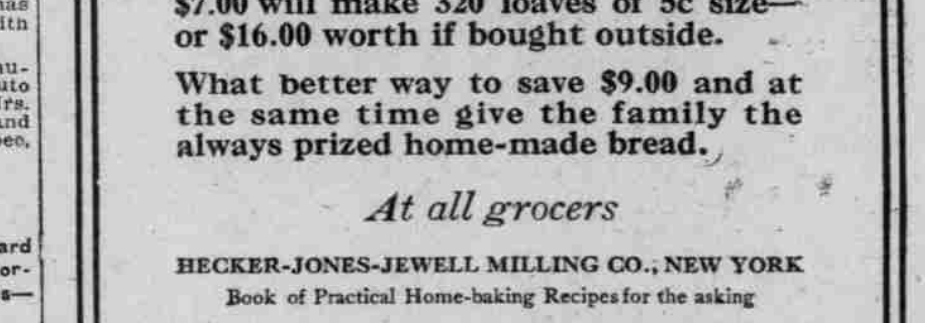
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OUR ANNUAL SALE OF NOTIONS BEGINS FRIDAY MORNING, FEB. 27th

Take advantage of this event and prepare yourself for the Spring sewing campaign. Get every thing you need while prices are cut much below regular.

MISCELLANEOUS ARTICLES IN THIS SALE OF SMALL NOTIONS

- Wild Fire Corset Steels, 5 hooks, assorted lengths—Sale price 8c a pair.
- German Silver Thimbles—Sale price 3c each.
- Aluminum Thimbles—Sale price 10c each.
- Three-ounce Bottle Sperm Sewing Machine Oil—Sale price 3c a bottle.
- 50-inch Sateen Tape Measure—Sale price 3c each.
- Nickel-plated Skirt Gauge and Marker—Sale price 10c each.
- Very Best Hat Fasteners—Sale price 8c a pair.
- Royal Society Embroidery Floss—Sale price 3 hanks for 5c.
- Silkwool, all colors—Sale price 3 spools for 10c.
- Absorbent Medicated Cotton, 1-pound package—Sale price 21c.
- Straw Outfits—Sale price 3 pairs for 10c.
- Chinese Ironing Wax on sticks—Sale price 6 for 5c.
- Asbestos Iron Holders—Sale price 4c each.
- Tailor's Chalk—Sale price 6c a dozen.
- 10-yards Taffeta Silk Binding, all colors—Sale price 12 1/2c a piece.
- Tolson Dress Binding, black and white, 3/4-inch wide—Sale price 4c a yard, 4c a dozen yards.
- Decorative Elastic Webbing, black and white, 3/4 to 1 1/2-inch wide—Sale price 3c a yard—3c a 1/2-inch wide—Sale price 7c a yard.
- Silk Covered Dress Shields, guaranteed, all sizes—Sale price 10c a pair.
- Lead Dress Weights, all sizes—Sale price 6 for 5c.
- No. 2 Vienna 1/4 round Hat Elastic, black and white—Sale price 15c for 12 yards.
- Hair Nets—Sale price 2c each.
- Omo Shields at reduced prices during this sale.
- Willimantic Spool Cotton, 200 yards in black and white—Sale price 6 for 25c.
- Willimantic Three-cord Spool Cotton, black and white—Sale price 3 for 5c.
- Glascio Lace Thread in white only—Sale price 10c a spool.
- Marsall's Linen Thread, black and white—Sale price 8c a spool.
- Ant Lysdell's Linen Finish Thread in black only—Sale price 4c a spool.
- Pulton Basting Thread, 500-yard spool, in white only—Sale price 3c a spool.
- White Basting Thread, 200-yard spool—Sale price 17c a dozen spools.
- SEWING SILK
- Hemingway's Sewing Silk, 100-yards spool, all colors—Sale price 7c a spool.
- Calmac Machine Silk, 1-ounce spool in black only—Sale price 14c a spool.

NICKLE PLATED BRASS PINS

150 full count Nickel-plated Brass Pins, all sizes—Sale price 4c a paper. Full count Victoria English Pins, all sizes—Sale price 5c a paper.

NEEDLES

Milward's Needles, all sizes—Sale price 4c a paper; 3 papers for 10c. Sharpe's Needles, all sizes—Sale price 1c a paper.

HAIR PINS

Smooth Heavy Wire Hair Pins—Sale price 1c a package; 6 packages for 4c. Fern Cabinet Hair Pins, assorted sizes to a cabinet—Sale price 3c a cabinet. Delong Steel Hair Pins, 2 1/2 to 4-inch—Sale price 2 packages for 5c.

PIN CUBES

Large Size Pin Cubes, 64 count, plain and assorted—Sale price 5c a cube; 2 for 8c. Small Pin Cubes, 100 count, all colors—Sale price 4c a cube.

HAT PINS

Black Steel Hat Pins, all sizes—Sale price 6 for 5c.

SAFETY PINS

Clinton Safety Pins, black or nickel—Sale price 4c a dozen.

BUTTONS

Metal Buttons, all kinds—Sale price 2c a dozen. Pearl Buttons, size 14 to 24, perfect—Sale price 3c a dozen; 6 dozens for 25c. Heavy Ocean Pearl Buttons, plain fish eye and fancy—Sale price 10c a card. Wood Button Moulds, all sizes from 16 to 58—Sale price 2c a dozen.

DARNING AND KNITTING COTTON

Mercerized Darning Cotton, black and colors—Sale price 3 spools for 5c. Dexter Knitting Cotton—Sale price 6 rolls for 25c. Maud K. Turkey Red Embroidery Cotton—Sale price 3 spools for 5c. Hemingway's Black Darning Silk—Sale price 4c a spool.

HANDKERCHIEFS

Ladies' White Linen Handkerchiefs—Sale price 10c. Men's Pure Linen Handkerchiefs—Sale price 11c. Men's Indigo Handkerchiefs—Sale price 4c.

TAPE

5-yard rolls White Cotton Tape, assorted sizes—Sale price 5 rolls for 7c. 10-yard rolls Superfine Tape, white only, 3/4 to 1 1/2-inch wide—Sale price 7c a roll. Bias Lawn Fold Tape, all widths, 6-yard rolls—Sale price 5c a roll.

SHOE AND CORSET LACES

Good Quality Shoe Laces—Sale price 5c a dozen. Flat Corset Laces, 2 1/2-yard long—Sale price 7c a dozen. Round Elastic Corset Laces, all sizes—Sale price 2c each.

HOOKS AND EYES

Calmac Hooks and Eyes, 2 dozen on a card, all sizes—Sale price 4c a card; 3 cards for 10c. Peet's Invisible Hooks and Eyes, black and white—Sale price 3 dozens for 8c.

DRESS FASTENERS

Quick Snap Dress Fasteners—Sale price 3 dozens for 5c. Kohinor Dress Fasteners in black or white—Sale price 7c a dozen.

COLLAR SUPPORTERS

Invisible Collar Supports, 6 on a card—Sale price 8c a card. Warren's Featherbone Collar Supports—Sale price 4c a set. Airbone Collar Supports, all sizes—Sale price 3c a set. Calmac Collar Supports, removable ivory bone, all heights—Sale price 3c a card.

BRAIDS

Chaffee Mercerized Shirt Braid, all colors—Sale price 3c a yard. Coronation Braid, all sizes in white only—6 yards hanks for 12 1/2c. Warren's Featherbone, Chicago brand in white and black—Sale price 10c a yard; \$1.00 for 12 yards.

PAD SUPPORTERS

Women's Pad Supporters, black, white, pink and blue, made of 1 1/2 inch heavy elastic—Sale price 17c a pair. Velvet Grip—Hose Supporters in white and black—Baby's size 11c a pair; Children's size 12c a pair; Misses' size 13c a pair; Women's size 14c a pair. Children's Side Supporters—Sale price 8c a pair.

TOILET ARTICLES

- Palmolive Soap—Sale price 8c a cake.
- Cuticura Soap—Sale price 21c a cake.
- Pearl's Unscented Soap—Sale price 12c a cake.
- Packer's Tar Soap—Sale price 19c a cake.
- Cosmo Butter Milk Soap—Sale price 5c a cake.
- Colgate's Almond Soap—Sale price 8c a cake.
- Hind's Honey and Almond Cream—Sale price 37c.
- Peroxide Cold Cream, 4-ounce size—Sale price 14c.
- Pompeian Massage Cream—Sale price 35c.
- Colgate's Talcum Powders, 5 odors—Sale price 15c each.
- Mennen's Violet and Borated Talcum Powders—Sale price 15c.
- Habcock's Corymbosa Talcum Powder—Sale price 12c.
- Sheffield's Dentifrice—Sale price 14c.
- Colgate's Tooth Paste—Sale price 20c.
- Four-ounce bottle Ioxogen—Sale price 19c.
- 6-ounce bottle Peroxide—Sale price 30c.
- Keep Clean Hair Brushes—Sale price 20c and 42c.
- Dressing Combs in hard rubber, black only, three sizes—Sale prices 8c, 19c and 29c.
- Five Hard Rubber Combs—Sale price 5c.
- Mirrors, French plate, beaded edge, with solid backs of rosewood and mahogany—Sale price 42c.
- 24 hour Alarm Clocks, will keep good time—Sale price 65c.
- Autocrat Linen Writing Paper, all sizes and styles—Sale price 20c a box.
- Barrett's Side and Back Combs—Sale price 1/2c.
- Phoenix Mufflers, white and colors—Sale price 19c.

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